The marriage of Miss Loula Amelia Bischoff, the ally daughter of Justice Henry Bischoff, jr., of the Supreme Court, to James Shelton Meng, a son of the late Judge J. S. Meng, of Vidalia, La., was quietly celebrated at noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, No. 19 West Ninety-slxth-st. father the wedding was a small and quiet one, only es and personal friends of the family being esent at the ceremony which was performed by the w. Richard Cobden, of St. Mark's Protestant Episcopal Church, Tenth-st, and Second-ave. The bride, wore a travelling costume of brown cloth and velvet with a small toque to correspond, was unattended by either bridesmaids or maid of honor. is the deby either bridesmaids or maid of honor, here was no best man or usher. After the marriage remony there was a breakfast. Among the guest resent were Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand von Graberg, and Mrs. Hugo Hoefler, Mr. and Mrs. William celer. Mr. and Mrs. George Hasbrouck, Mr. and rs. Charles Remick, Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Strong, r. Louis Livingston Seaman, Robert E. Noble, Mr. ad Mrs. Oscar Unz. Mr. and Mrs. George Batten, iss Araxia Dadarian, Miss Carrie Heather, Mrs. L. Southwick, Miss Ethel D. Southwick, Mr. and its Edward Godine, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mohun, r. and Mrs. Hartell Vilkins, Mrs. Henry Chaurant, r. and Mrs. Hartell Vilkins, Mrs. Henry Chaurant, ie Misses Chaurant, Frank M. Lawrence and Victor leng, of Vidalia, La., brother of the bridegroom, ho is a chemist connected with the German Kall Cerks, in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Meng, after their stage trip, will make their home in West Ninety-fibst.

Miss Lucy Cary Morse, daughter of Professor Moses Morse, of No. 171 West Seventy-third-st., was married to George Wales, of Boston, Mass., at soclock last evening, in the Lenox Unitarian at \$ 0 clock, Harlem. The marriage ceremony, which was performed by the pastor of the church, the relatives and personal friends only, and there was no reception afterward. There was an absence of bridesmaids and maid of honor. Mr. Wales's best man was his son, Ernest Wales, of Boston. The mehers were Edward Lee Young, Dr. Morrison Hutchingson and James G. Wentz, of this civy. Dr. Renjamin Sharpe, of Philadelphia; Dr. Saffotd G. Perry, of New-Jersey, and Hazen Morse, of New-

ox-ave and One-hundred-and-twenty-third-st. Miss Evelyn Maude Betts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Florian Betts, was married to Clinton Reach James, of Brooklyn, at 8:20 o'clock last evening. The marriage ceremony was performed the pastor of the church, the Rev. Dr. J. Harsha, and was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, No. 48 East One-hundred-and-twenty-fourth-st. The bride's gown was white brocaded moiré trimmed with point lacof white brocaded moire trimmed with point lace, and her veil of tuile was fastened with orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a brooch of dismonds, a gift from the bridegroom. Miss Mattle Townsend was the maid of honor, while the bridegramails were Miss Gestrude Sinclair, Miss Jennie McMann, Miss Margaret Hover, and Miss Florence Lynch. The best man was the bridegroom's brother, J. Frank James, fr. The ushers were William Stillwell, Jr., Carl Schlatter, Andrew Murray, George Boach, an uncle of the bridegroom: Edward Wagner, and a cousin of the bride, William Betts, Mr. and Mrs. James, when they return from their wedding trip, will make their home at No. 33 Eighth-ave., Brooklyn.

marriage of Miss Fannie Tatter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Tailer, to Sydney J. Smith, will take place this afternoon in Grace Smith, will take place this afternoon in Grace Church. The ceremony will be performed by Rishop Potter, assisted by the rector of Grace Church, the Rev. Dr. William R. Huntinston, and the Rev. Percy S Grant rector of the Church of the Asconsion. There will be a choral service, and after the ceremony a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tailer, No. 11 Washinston Square, north. The bride has received many handsome gifts, including many places of jewelry and silver.

Miss Elsa Reigelman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Riegelman, will be married to Louis A. Strauss, of Ann Arbor, Mich., this evening in Del

The marriage of Miss Amelia L. Thorn of Buffalo. to Charles Van Bergen, of New-York was cele-brated at St. Paul's Church, Buffalo, last Tuesday. Miss Thorn is a daughter of Frank S. Thorn, of Buffalo, and Mr. Van Bergen is a son of A. Van of Paris well known in New-York society circles. The wedding took place at noon with the full vested service of the Episcopal Church. There were two bridesmalds, Miss Georgia Thorn, sister of the bride, and Miss Alice Van Bergen, sister of the bridegroom. The best man was W. A. Taylor, of New-York. The ushers were L. K. Taylor, of New-York: Prederick Smart, of Flushing, Long Island, and George Wharton, of Plainfield, N. J. Following the services at the church a wedding breakfast was given at the church a wedding breakfast was given at the house, at which about fifty members and intimate friends of the two families were present.

London, Dec. 16.-Captain G. M. Kirkpatrick, sor of G. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of On-terio, was married in St. Peter's Church, in this city, this morning to Miss Mamie Dennistown, daughter of the late J. F. Dennistown, Q. C., of Peterborough, Ontario. The ceremony was per-formed by Canon A. F. Kirkpatrick. The service formed by Canon A. F. Kirkpatrick. The service was full choral. The bride wore a dress of white satin, trimmed with chiffon lace and orange blossoms. The groomsman was Captain George Cattright, of Kingston. Ontario. The bride's mother gave a large reception after the weidding. Among the guests were Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian High Commissioner. R. R. Dobell and wife, John Paton and wife, J. D. Mackenzle and wife, and Gental Dennistown. The bride's travelling dress was of fawn-colored cloth, trimmed with blue velvet.

Saratoga, Dec. 16.-The marriage of Miss Georgiana, only daughter of General Winsor B. French, of Saratoga Springs, to John Andrews Harris, jr. of Philad-lphia, is announced to take place on Wednesday, December 30, in Bethesda Episcopal Church Bishop Wimiam Croswell Doane, of Al-bany, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Dr. John Andrews Harris, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, father of the bridegroom.

MISS SMITH'S EXCELLENT LECTURES END Miss Hannah Smith gave the last of her course Wednesday morning lectures on the "History of Music" yesterday, at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Daly, No. 19 East Sixty-second-st. There was s larger attendance than could have been expected, considering the blizzard through which Smith's hearers had to make their way, and those who attended it were repuid by hearing a lecture which was in many respects the most interesting

which was in many respectively. The series

The especial subject which, as representative of the highest modern musical development, had been thosen to conclude the course was "The Orchestra." Miss Smith began by giving a detailed action of the origin and early forms of the many different instruments in the modern orchestra. The restricted her audience that in earlier times She reminded her audience that in earlier times all or eight instruments constituted an array then lought worthy of the term "orchestra," and that present great and complicated body had been ually evolved from the smallest of beginnings. In the stringed instruments themselves there had en less change than in the others. A violin two hundred years ago was essentially the same as a Molin of the present. But in the wind instruments of brass and wood, sweeping changes had taken place in the last century. The flute had taken wonderfully in power and brilliancy; the French horn had been mellowed in tone and raised pitch, and the trumpets had received a multitude of improvements. Miss Smith laid especial atress upon the credit which should be given to stress upon the credit which should be given to what may be called the minor instruments of the orchestra—those which never sustain a part alone, but which are absolutely necessary for the support and rounding out of the effects produced by the violins and other important instruments. Among these lesser factors she mentioned the kettledrums, which have notable parts in some of the symphonies. Miss Smith also talked interestingly on the subject of "overtones," and gave some curious and beautiful plano illustrations of her meaning. The course has been most successful and has been greatly appreciated by the large audiences who have attended each week.

TO CONSIDER EXPERT TESTIMONY. iny, Dec. 16.-Roger Foster, of New-York City, appointed to represent the State Bar Asso-Cation at a meeting of the representatives of the State Medical and other societies, to be held in New-Tork City soon. The meeting is to be called by Dr. B. H. Porter, of New-York City, representing the Memocopathic Medical Society, and will consider the advisability of reforming the existing laws rela-

WILLIS GAINS A POINT.

PRISON DECIDED IN HIS FAVOR-IT WILL

NOW GO TO THE COURT OF APPEALS. that the case of Charles P. Willis against him had on decided in favor of Willis. The latter brought an action for a mandamus last July. He is a prisoner in the State prison, and wants to be discharged from custody. He went to the prison first enteen months were taken from his term for good conduct. He was rearrested for burglary and sen tenced to ten years more. He entered the prison to

tenced to ten years more. He entered the prison to serve his second term on December 28, 1859, and his term, less the commutation for good behavior, expired on June 29 last.

Warden Sage did not release him, however, but held him under the State law to serve the seventeen months of his first term. Whilis brought action, and Judge Dykman decided in favor of Warden Sage. Willis then took an appeal to the Appellate Division, and decision was given in Brooklyn, reversing Judge Dykman. Warden Sage said yesterday that he would carry the case to the Court of Appelais.

HAWAII FEARS THE JAPANESE.

nt of the illness of the bride's paternal grand- WHY MINISTER COOPER CAME HERE TO URGE

n Francisco, Dec. 16.-A special dispatch to "The Examiner" from San Diego, Cal., says: Mr Cooper, the Hawaiian Minister of Foreign Affairs who formerly lived in this city, is here. One of his most intimate friends yesterday said: "Mr. Cooper told me he came to the United States to urge annexation, on account of fears that the Hawaiian Government has of Japan. The situation is just this: In Hawaii, according to General Cooper, the Japanese far outnumber all other for eigners. The Americans are a handful in compart exclude the Japanese, who are pouring into th They are losing the humble demeanor that characterizes their countrymen on this coast, through their great numbers and the prestige of the Japanese-Chinese war, are beginning to chaffor the elective franchise. If they force Hawali to give them the right to vote, then American scendency will be at an end forever.
"General Cooper informed me that he has laid

the situation before influential men in the East and has so won upon their judgment that he believes that great strides will be made during the next year toward annexation under the McKinley

THE PRESIDENT BREAKS CAMP.

EMBARKED ON THE WISTARIA AGAIN-STILL HAV ING GOOD LUCK WITH THE DUCKS.

Georgetown, S. C., Dec. 13 - The Government aunch Water Lily came up to the city this evening bringing mail and dispatches from the Presidential party. From what can be learned the President is well and enjoying the shooting. The party went Pond and had good luck.
As a deer drive had been arranged for the day

they were forced to leave the ducks and go on the drive. But the woods were so wet from the recent rains that the dogs could not keep the trail of th deer, and the hunt was abandoned. broke camp this afternoon, and embarking on the Water Lily came from the Santee through the Mosquito Creek Fanal to the lighthouse tender Wis-taria, which was anchored in Winyah Bay, near South Island After receiving the party and taking on board the baggage and bags of game, the Wis taria steamed over to Muddy Bay, where she lies to-night, about a mile from the Annandale Club Lodge or Friend Field.

President Cleveland and his companions will a

ducking in the marshes to-morrow morning, and it the weather is as cold and windy as it has been to-day they will have fine sport. The President and his party will remain at Friend Field to-morrow and until Saturday, going ducking each morning, and as an invitation has been extended to them by the Donaldson brothers for a deer drive on their lands, it is probable that they may yet have the pleasure of adding a buck or two to their list of game.

Mayor Morgan received an acknowledgment from the President this evening of the invitation and resolutions extended by the City Council and citi-zens to attend a reception here as he passes through on his return to Washington, in which he says that his plans are not definitely formed, but that he will answer in a day or two.

"IAN MACLAREN" WINS A SUIT.

THE WHARTON & BARRON PUBLISHING COMPAN RESTRAINED FROM SELLING CERTAIN EDITIONS

OF "BESIDE THE BONNIE BRIER BUSH." Baltimore, Dec. 16.-Judge Morris to-day signed decree restraining the Wharton & Barron Publish ing Company, of this city, from selling certain edi-tions of "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush," the populabook of "Ian Maclaren," the Scotch clergyman an author. The decree indirectly sustained the interna-tional copyright law. The suit was brought by Dod. Mead & Co., of New-York, and by the author. oil alleges that the book was written and copyright ed under the international copyright law by the Re-Dr. John Watson, and that to Dodd, Mead & Ca had been granted the exclusive privilege of selling had been granted the exclusive privilege of selling if in America. The decree established the rights of Dodd, Mead & Co. under the copyright and trade mark and probabiled the further sale of other issues of the book. Damages and an accounting asked for in the pelition were waived, as the author and pub-lisher merely wished to establish their rights to the exclusive publication. Other suits are pending throughout the country.

DR. WATSON SAILS FOR HOME.

The Rev. Dr. John Watson and his wife sailed for Liverpool yesterday on the White Star Line steamship Majestic. Many friends accompanied the two travellers to the steamer to see them off, among whom were Andrew Carnegle and Major Pond Dr. and Mrs. Watson have been the guests for the last week of Mr. Carnegle, at whose house a farewell dinner was given for them on Tuesday even-

Before leaving this country, where he has enjoye an extended and enthusiastic hospitality, Dr. Watan extended and enthusiastic hospitality. Dr. Watson said that he carried away the most agreeable
remembrances of his visit and a high opinion of the
destiny of the United States. He cherished the
hope that he might return at some time to lecture
and read from works as yet unwritten.
Since Dr. Watson's arrival here on September 22
he has made 117 addresses. Major Pond said that
he had never conducted a lecturer through the
United States, whose reputation was a literary one,
who had been received with equal favor.

GOVERNOR-ELECT BLACK IN TOWN.

Governor-elect Frank S. Black came to this city yesterday. He was accompanied by his wife, and went to the Fifth Avenue Hotel. He was met by some members of his newly appointed staff and a few politicians. He was not inclined to be com-municative about the criticism that has been made about some of his staff appointments. When asked if he had anything to say about this criticism, he

"Do you mean about Morris? I have only heard the talk in a general way. I will examine into the matter fully in time. Further than that I can say "About the others?"

"I have heard no criticism of any one else?" What about the appointment of eight aids when

only six are provided for?" "If you will look in the Red Book you will find

eight are named."
Mr. Tillinghast, who is to be Adjutant-General supplemented the statement of Mr. Black by

sapplemented saying:
"The Governor has the power to appoint as many alds as he wishes and assign them to department alds as he wishes and assign them to department alds as he wishes and assign them to department and the same all the same a

work."
Mr. Black said that he would probably go to Troy to-day. He said he had an engagement to dine with Governor Morton on December 23 in this city. He would not talk about any possible appointments of Railroad Commissioners or other efficials, about whom there has been considerable gossib.

officials, about whom there has been considerable gossip.

The Governor-elect was entertained at dinner last evening by State Committeeman Frank S. Witherbee, of Port Henry, at his city home, No. 4 Fifth-ave. There were present besides Mr. Black Lieutenant-Governor-elect Woodruff, T. C. Platt, Chauncey M. Depew, Mayor Strong, Edward Lauterbach, Frank H. Platt, Cornelius N. Bliss, Charles W. Hackett, Theodore Roosevelt, General Samuel Thomas, ex-Senator Lispenard Stewart, E. A. Araold, General Louis Fitzgerald, District-Attorney, William M. K. Olcott, Dr. E. H. Peaslee and Elihu Root.

Governor Black's new military staff met at the Hotel Waldorf at noon yesterday and formed an organization. C. Whitney Tillinghast, selected for Adjutant-General, was elected chairman; Harrison Adjutant-General, was elected chairman; Harrison B. Moore, Jr., Colonel and Alde-de-Camp, secretary, and Brigadier-General Howard Carroll, Chief of Artillery, treasurer.

WEDDINGS PASTAND TO COME tive to admitting the testimony of physicians, sur- M'KINLEY GOES TO CHICAGO.

THE MAJOR FEELS THE NEED OF REST

AND RECREATION.

HIS VISIT WILL LAST A WEEK, AND HE WILL TALK POLITICS, BUT WILL NOT TAKE PART

Canton, Dec. 16.—For the second time since his | Chapala the previous night. nomination Major McKinley has left Canton. About the middle of the summer he spent a few days in Cleveland, attending its centennial celebration. To-night he started for Chicago at 9:27 to join Mrs. McKinley at the home of her cousins. Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette McWilliams. He expects to remain a week in Chicago. After all the strain, excitement and labor of the campalgn, and after six weeks of arduous toll since the election, in which he has had scarcely a mo- | to ment to himself, the President-elect, though in excellent health, begins to feel that change and rest would be grateful.

Major McKinley left Canton in a private car, which he invited Charles G. Dawes, Captain H. SENTENCES TO BE KEPT SECRET-THE HORRIBLE O. Heistand and some newspaper friends to share with him. He expects to reach Chicago at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. Indications are not wanting that there will be a disposition on the part of certain Chicago people to lionize and over-entertain the Major and Mrs. McKinley, but he has no intention of departing from the purposes of his trip, which are rest and informal recreation among his friends. He is opposed to participating at this time in semi-publie or public functions.

While he is in Chicago he will not wholly escape from the politicians. There are certain men whom he will be glad to see and talk with. and who can give him information he desires. No doubt the Wisconsin friends of Henry C. Payne and friends of other aspirants for the Cabinet who live not a great distance from Chicago will take advantage of the opportunity to say something of a favorable nature about their candidates.

The Wisconsin Cabinet possibilities were discussed somewhat in Canton to-day. John Hicks, Administration, and one of the influential editors in his State, called on Major McKinley. He said: "We have two good men in Wiscorsin who are suggested for the Cabinet, ex-Governor Hoard and Henry C. Payne. Major McKinley would not make a mistake if he were to select either of them. Mr. Payne is a strong, alert, capable man of affairs, and an accomplished politician in the best sense of the term. He is the choice of most of the men of the State who take an active interest in politics. Governor Hoard has a great following among the farmers. successful, practical farmer, the editor of an agricultural paper and a fine lecturer on agricultural topics. He would make an excellent Secretary of Agriculture."

The report that Major McKinley is giving definite attention to his inaugural address is with-out foundation. He will not begin work on it till he has seen what the winter and Congress de-velop. The business which he has in hand now is the formation of a Cabinet and the organization

the formation of a Cabiner and the organization of his Administration.

As has been stated from time to time in these dispatches, Senator Sherman has no thought of leaving the Senate. He will not become Secretary of State, as many makers of the Cabinet have asserted. On the other hand, he has expressed to Mr. Hanna the belief that his field of greatest usefulness is the Senate, and has intimated that he can be of more service to Major McKinley and his Administration as Senator than in any other capacity. Senator Sherman, unless his present plans are much changed, will remain in the Senate and be a candidate for re-

unless his present plans are much changed, will remain in the Senate and be a candidate for rejection. This decision makes more stable than ever the belief that Mark Hanna will be one of Major McKinley's Cabinot officers.

Mr. Hanna said to a friend yesterday that more than eight thousand citizens of Ohio had filed applications for appointment to Federal office under the McKinley Administration. It is thought the number will reach 12,000.

William Brookfield, of New-York, formerly Commissioner of Public Works, called on Major McKinley this evening and talked for an hour with him about New-York men and matters. Mr. Brookfield defined his attitude frankly. Said he: "There is but one avowed candidate for the Senate, and that is Mr. Choate. If Mr. Platt is or expects to be a candidate he has not said so.

Senate, and that is Mr. Choale. If Mr. Platt is or expects to be a candidate he has not said so. He may not wish to go to the Senate. Indeed, I am told his ambitten in that direction is by no means as strong as it once was.

"The situation in New-York State will clear up in good time. No one understands that situation better than the President-elect. I can say there better than the President-elect. I can say there will be no trouble in New-York over the patronage, and no one is going to say to the President-elect what he shall or shall not do in the matter of appointments. He will be a greater power than any man or body of men, and while he plainly wants to secure unity and harmony plainly wants to secure unity and harmony within the party, he is not going to secure it by surrendering to Platt any point, unless I am gravely mistaken. Mr. Platt will get fair treatment, but I am sure he will be given to understand that he has no right to expect more than that, and that no amount of biuster or threats will avail. The people are behind Major McKinley and they feel that he will deal with this and all other factional problems in a fair but very broad and firm and independent way."

A GOLD SHIELD FOR HERLIHY.

THE POLICE BOARD MAKES ONE CAPTAIN AND PIGHT SPRGEANTS

The Police Board yesterday promoted to a captainey Sergeant John J. Herliny, who has been acting captain of the Fifth-st, station since last July, and made sergeants of the following eight roundsmen; James Nally, of Madison-st. station; Phomas E. O'Brien, of the Central Office; Abram C. Hulze, of the Madison-st, station; Charles A. ace, of East Thirty-fifth-st.; Frank J. Morris, of Delancey-st.; Charles Formosa, of the Detective Bureau; William C. Burke, of East One-hundred-and-twenty-sixth-st., and Francis Creamer, of Mor-

risania.

There are still four vacant sergeanteles, which were not filled yesterday because of objections by Commissioner Parker to the promotion of Roundsman Tracy, the ninth man on the eligible list.

NOTES OF THE STAGE.

The storm of yesterday dealt a heavy blow to the heatres. The snow and the wind kept people indoors in the afternoon and spoiled the advance sale and the bad-walking kept them away in the even-ing. There was scarcely a really good house in town and many were extremely slender.

The one hundredth performance of "The Geisha" at Daly's Theatre will be given this evening and will be marked by souvenirs.

The annual benefit of the German Poliklinik wil be given at the Metropolitan Opera House this even-ing. The programme, which is a most excellent one, has been published. The entertainment and the ob-ject should fill the house and doubtless will.

"Educated People," after a three weeks' run, had its last performance at the Irving Place Theatre last night. It has been the most successful of Mr. Conried's productions this season. This evening another novelty will be presented. 'Der Weg zum Herzen,' a comedy by A. L'Arronge, one of the most popular German playwrights of lighter vein.

CONGRESS AND CUBA.

ONE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM

From The Baltimore American. Senator Morgan might be sent to Madrid to peechify until Spain surrendered. FACING THE SAME BUSINESS INTERESTS.

Senator Morgan has a fresh grievance against the business interests." we see. Not content with their share in the defeat of the Senator's candidate for the Presidency, Mr. Bryan, they are now selfish-ly discouraging the idea of a war with Spain over Cuba. From The Hartford Courant.

A CHANCE TO CLAMOR FOR WAR.

From The Chicago Record.

Even in spite of the inherent improbability of the story that Maceo was treacherously lured to his death, the report has already added to the beligerency of certain Congressmen who are ready to accept any story as Gospel truth if it gives them a chance to clamor for war.

NOT THE ROLE FOR THIS NATION. From The Albany Argus. True, no nation is worthy to survive that is tied to a policy of peace at any price; but it is no less true that that nation has lost its head and is simply ridiculous which rushes blindly into the arena, chip on shoulder, swashbuckler fashion, challenging all comers to the hot encounter. DIAZ HAS A NARROW ESCAPE.

THE PRESIDENT OF MEXICO WITNESSES A TER-

RIFIC STORM ON A TUG IN LAKE CHAPALA. San Diego, Cal., Dec. 16.-Mexican advices are that President Diaz and party returned to the capital last Thursday after an eventful trip to Gundalsjara, Ameca and Lake Chapala, in which the Presient had a narrow escape from drowning. turnout of high civil and military officers, who greeted the Chief Magistrate and congratulated

in the lake. At the end of the supper General Diaz and party boarded a small tugboat in order to reach Ocotlan Station, where a special train awaited them. When they were about half-way across to Ocotlan a tremendous storm came on, and the waters of the lake were lashed into a fury. This state of affairs lasted for two hours, the storm increasing instead of diminishing in intensity until, at every fresh onslaught of the waves, the party gave up hope of reaching the shore in the vessel. But after a fearful battle the little tug managed to get into the lee of a range of hills near Ocotlan, and thus ran to that town in comparative safety. to get into the lee of a range of hills near Ocotia and thus ran to that town in comparative safety.

BARCELONA OUTRAGE OF JUNE 7 RECALLED. Barcelona, Dec. 16.-The trial by a military court prisoners charged with being implicated in the throwing of a bomb in a crowded street while a religious procession was passing on June 7 last has ended. The sentences to be pronounced upon the condemned men will be decided upon in camera and will not be made public; and any person having knowledge of the penalties imposed and divulging cautions are considered necessary, as it is feared

The crime for which the prisoners were tried was

The crime for which the prisoners were tried was committed during the observance of the feast of Corpus Christi, when thousands of people had gathered upon the street to witness the procession on its way to the ancient Church of Santa Maria del Mar. A bomb was exploded in the crowd just as the procession was entering the church. A dozen persons were instantly killed, and fifty were abured, some of them fatally.

The prosecution was conducted personally by the Attorney-General, who demanded that sentence of death be passed upon twenty-eight of the prisoners, and that fifty-six others be condemned to penal servitude for life. "The Daily Standard" will publish to-morrow a dispatch from Barcelona saying that the sentences imposed upon the prisoners whose trial for connection with the throwing of a bomb into a religious procession in June last has been concluded, will be published when the Supreme Military Court and General Azzarraga, the Spanish Minister of War, shall have approved the findings of the court by which the men were tried.

PENBURG, BAVARIA.

Munich, Dec. 16 -An explosion occurred in Cremer's match factory, in Aschaffenburg, Bavaria, last evening, demolishing the building killing fif-teen women and girls and seriously injuring seven

REPLACING THE CRUISER MOHAWK. from Portsmouth this morning to relieve the cruiser Mohawk on the North American and West Indian

second class, with a tomage of 3,600 and indicated horse-power of 9,000. She carries eight guns, while

ARMENIA NOT AN ISSUE. Liverpool, Dec. 16.-The Executive Council of the National Liberal Federation at a meeting held in

this city to-day rejected a proposal to make the situation in Armenia a Liberal party question. THE MANNHEIM GETS £850 SALVAGE.

London, Dec. 16.—Lloyd's agent at Curacoa ca-bles that the Hamburg-American Line steamer Thuringia, from Hamburg November 13 and Havre November 17 for West Indian ports, is ashore east of Point curacoa, Island of curacoa. It is not believed that she has any passengers.

Paris, Dec. 16.—The naval budget was passed by the Chamber of Deputies to-day. Replying to an interrogation. Admiral Besnard, Minister of Ma-rine, said that it was the intention of the Govern-ment to submit plans for the defence of Brest and herbourg.

London, Dec. 16.—The United States Embassy this afternoon obtained from the magistrate of the Bow Street Police Court a warrant for the artist of a man accused of having committee a murder in the State of Kentucky. The name of the man is not disclosed, but the attaches of the Embassy say they expect his immediate arrest.

ROSWELL G. HORR SINKING RAPIDLY. Plainfield, Dec. 16.-Ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr, who has been seriously ill for two weeks

with bronchitis, is not expected to live through the night.

THE WEATHER REPORT. YESTERDAY'S RECORD AND TO DAY'S FORECAST

Washington, Dec. 16.-The storm on the Atlantic coast Washington, Iec. 16.—The storm on the Atlantic coast is central near Nantucket, and northerity gales, with threatening weather and show, continue in New-England. The barometer has risen from the lake region southward to the Florida coast and to the west of the Booky Mountains. It has fallen from the Texas coast northward to table. It has failed from the Texas coast northward to Dakon and Minnessta, and a depression is forming on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains. The barometer is highest north of Monrain, where colder weather and light snows are reported. The weather is clear generally throughout the Sauthern and Middle Atlantic States and the lower lake region, and is cloudy in the Mississippi and Missouri valleys. The Indications are that the weather will clear in New-Empland, and it will be fair from New-York southward to Phorida, with slowly rising temperature. Cloudiness will increase in the Central val-leys, with rain or snow in the Northwest and the States of the Missouri Vailey. It will be decidedly colder on the eastern slope Taursday night.

FORECAST IN DETAIL FOR TO DAY. For New-England, clearing in the morning, preceded by

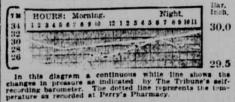
reasing in force; slowly rising temperature, creasing in force; slowly fishing femperature.

For Eastern New York, Eastern Pennsylvania, NewJersey and belaware, fair Thursday, not so cold; mortherly
winds, shifting to easterly.

For the Justice of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia,
fair, followed by cloudy weather in the evening; northerly
winds, shifting to contineasterly; not so cold.

For Western Pennsylvania and Western New-York, fair
in the menting, cloudy and threaten ag in the evening;
slightly warmer; fresh to brisk southeasterly winds.

TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS



Office, Dec. 17, 1 a. m .- A rain, followed by siest and a snowstorm, characterized the weather yester-day. Seven inches of snow fell, which was drifted by a wind that blew fifty miles an hour from the north and west. The temperature ranged between 24 and 32 degrees, the average (27%) being 4% lower than on Theeday and 8% lower than on the corresponding day last year.

In and near this city to-day fair and warmer weather may be expected. OBITUARY.

SAYLES JENKS BOWEN.

Washington, Dec. 16 (Special).-Ex-Mayor Bowen died in this city to-day. Sayles Jenks Bowen was born in the township of Sciplo, Cayuga County. died in this city to-day. N. Y., on October 7, 1813. He assisted his father in the labor of the farm until he attained his majority. He received a good education at Aurora Academy, turn to the capital was the occasion of a great and from the age of seventeen taught school during the winter seasons. For four years succeeding 1838 him upon his parrow escape from drowning in Lake he removed to the South, and in 1845 was appointed to a clerkship in the Treasury Department, under the As a part of the festivities in honor of the Presi- Administration of President Polk. It was in this dent there was a banquet on the island of Mexicala. Administration that the war with Mexico took place in the lake. At the end of the supper General Diaz and Texas was annexed to the United Stater. A and party boarded a small tugboat in order to reach fierce controversy arose on the question whether The celebrated ordinance of 1787 prohibited slavery forever in the Northwestern Territory, and

in 1845 what was cailed "the Wilmot Proviso" was introduced in the House. Mr. Bowen did not regard it his duty as a Democrat to extend slavery into free territory. He therefore favored the proviso and aided Senator Sumner, David Wilmot, Joshua R. Giddings and Free Soil members of the House in distributing documents in tavor of the measure. This action was distracted to the Administration, and in 1848 Mr. Bowen was removed from his clerkship.

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After this he engaged in the accounts with the Government. His business brought him into frequent intercourse with influential men in the Southern States, with many of whom he became a favorite. The years between 1848 and 1855 were years of political agination—the Missouri Compromise had been abrogated and the Fugicity Stave law enacted. These measures caused great excitement among the people, and the efforts to extend slavery into Kansas and Nebraska were warmly discussed and stubbornly resisted. Mr. Buchanan was elected President in 1856, and in his Administration the effort to extend slavery was persisted in with vigor, and it ended in the great Rebellion.

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From 1856 to 1851 Mr. Bowen was frequently approached by Southern men to win him over to the scheme of a separate Government, but he remained true to his convictions, and his loyalty to the Union was never doubted. In the Presidential campaigns of 1858 and 1859 he took an active part for the Republican candidates, and on the election of Mr. Lincoln he was taken into his confidence. In 1851 he was appointed Commissioner of Police for the District of Columbia. The same year he was made disburding officer for the United States Senate and in 1852 he was appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Columbia, which office he held until he was appointed Postmaster of Washington, in 1853, During the war all the mails to and from the Army of the Potomac were distributed and mailed through this office, yet under Mr. Bowen's administration, notwithstanding the heavy duties, every department was so managed as to satisfy the public.

In 1858 he was elected Mayor of this city. During his two years' term he suggested many improvements.

London, Dec. 15—'The Daily Standard' will publish the morrow a dispatch from Barcelona saying that the sentences imposed upon the prisoner whose trial for connection with the throwing of a bomb into a religious procession in June last has been concluded, will be published when the Stipreme Military Court and General Azzarraga, the Spanish Minister of War, shall have approved the findings of the court by which the men were tried, **STRIKE RIOTS IN HAMBURG.*

MANY ARRESTS—A TAVERN WRECKED, AND ITS LIQUOR EMPTIED INTO THE STREET.*

Hamburg, Dec. 16.—There have been frequent riotous disturbances by the striking dock laborers in this city to-day, and a large number of the rioters have been taken into custedly. A tavern belonging to the Street, and they smeared the bedding and furniture of the tavern with paradia. The Strike Committee are discussing a plan for the formation of a workingnen's organization to perform dock work independently of the master steredures and other middlemen.

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Andres R Stone the well-known rallroad man, who died suddenly on Tuesday evening at his home, No 150 West Fifty-ninth-st., will be buried to-morrow. The funeral will be held at his home at 10 REPLACING THE CRUISER MOHAWK. o'clock in the morning. The Rev. Dr. Huntington, London, Dec. 16.—The cruiser Indefatigable safled

> bluck will accomplish. He was born in Charlton. Workester County, Mass., on June 18, 1828, of Puritan stock. As a boy Mr. Stone early learned the meaning of poverty, and at the age of fifteen he was apprenticed to a carrenter. He was subs quently enabled, through his own exertions, to spend a brief term at an academy. Afterward, as a clerk for a bridge-building firm, Mr. Stone learned the details of the business, and subsequently be-came a partner in an Elastern bridge company. When twenty-six years old, he became the head of the firm of Stone & Boomer, which built the first bridge across the Mississippi, a bridge across the Illinois River, with the longest draw at that time

London, Dec. 16.—The Admiralty Court to-day awarded the German steamer Mannheim the sum of 180 salvage for towing the British bark (') phericaptain Clarke, into Halifax on September 16. The Mannheim sought to obtain 0.50%, which sum the court refused to allow.

The Cypher was on her way from Progress for Havre, when, on September 9, she encountered a hurricane, in which she lost foremast and yards, sails and all headgear attached, also main and mizzen topmasts, etc., and her captain was its juried by falling spars. The Mannheim took the Cypher in tow on the evening of September 14, and after towing the bark two hours captain to kelemann, commander of the Mannheim refused to tow her further unless the captain of the Cypher signed an agreement to pay him the company and the fundamental of the Ranssa the captain of the Cypher in tow on the evening of September 14, and after towing the bark two hours captain to kelemann, commander of the Mannheim refused to tow her further unless the captain of the Cypher signed an agreement to pay him the company and the fundamental form the purpose of the New-York and Jersey City Railway Company, at No. 15 Broadest, and president of the A. B. Stone became a member of Grave Church Being a broad-minded man, and by nature a philanthropist, Mr. Stone became interested in the Children's Ald Society, of which he afterward became a trustee, and presented to the society a summer home for children and the Hamburg-American Line steamer Thuringla, from Hamburg November 13 and Havre November 15 for West Indian ports, is ashore east. known, and the then unequalled span of the Union

THE REV. DR. JAMES RANKINE.

The Rev. Dr. James Rankine, rector of the Delaney Divinity School, died at Geneva, N. Y., yesterday, after a short finess. He was born on November 5, 1827, at Ayrshire, Scotland. His family moved to 187, at Ayrabire, Scotland. It is family moved to Canandatgua, N. Y. He was graduated at Union Col-lege in the class of 1846, and later became assistant professor of mathematics at Trinity College, Hart-ford. He was afterward rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego, president of Hobart College, served as trus-tee of Hobart College and of Union College, and was rector of the Divinity School at Geneva for thirty

WILLIAM HAVILAND.

William Haviland died Tuesday night at his home, He was for thirty-five years clerk of the Superior Court, being seventy-five years old. He leaves daughter, Miss Haviland, and a stepson, R. Davis.

ALBERT E. SEIFERT.

The death of Albert E. Seifert, secretary of the Strewers' Exchange, and most active in its founding, occurred yesterday at the Exchange, No. 109 East Fifteenth-st. He was stricken with paralysis

a week ago while at his desk. Mr Selfert was born at Mayence-on-the-Rhein on May 20, 1847. He was educated in a German private school, and came to the United States when he was fourteen years old. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted as a private in the 35th New-York Volunteers, known as the Garibaidi Regi-ment. He served for two years as adjutant for General W. S. Hancock, While in active service he was wounded and sent to a Washington hoshe was wounded and sent to a Washington hos-pital. He took only a short leave of absence. After the war he was appointed secretary of the Lager licer Brewers' Board of Trade of New-York. He was also secretary of the Brewers' Exchange. When he was taken ill here his wife came on from their home at Macon. Ga., and remained with him until he died. He leaves seven children—five sons and two daughters, nearly all of whom are grown. His body with be taken to Georgia for burial, and a committee representing the Brewers' Exchange, the Old Guard and the Mystic Shrine will accom-pany it.

pany it.

Mr. Seifert was active in Gilsa Post, G. A. R.,
and in the Arion, Liederkranz and other German
societies. ARCHBISHOP OF BOURGES.

Bourges, Dec. 16.—Cardinal Jean Pierre Boyer, Archbishop of Bourges, died in this city to-day, He was sixty-seven years of age.

OBITUARY NOTES. Utlea, N. Y., Dec. 16.-The Rev. Dr. A. B. Goodrich, rector of Calvary Episcopal Church, in this city,

died at Trenton, N. Y., this morning, in his sixtydied at Trenton, N. Y., this morning, in his sixtyeighth year. Dr. Goodrich was the oldest active
pustor in Utica, having served Calvary parish since
1829. Since 1888 he had been secretary of the Diocese
of Central New-York, and its librarian for many
years. He was a graduate of Trinity College and received the degree of D. D. from Hamilton College.
Detroit, Dec. 16.—Louis F. Schultz, a well-known
violinist, founder and manager of the Detroit Phil-Mr. Schultz was born in Buffalo, N. Y., in 1856. He was graduated from the Leipsig Conservatory in 1876, and, returning to this country, established himself as a teacher and orchestral conductor at Fort Wayne, Ind. In 1879 he came to Detroit and in 1885 he organized the Detroit Philharmonic Club, which attained a water required to the control of the

THE HARVARD-PRINCETON DEBATE.

CAMBRIDGE MEN SPEAK IN SEVER HALL BEFO THEY DEPART FOR THE CONTEST.

sentatives in the debate with Princeton, to be held Friday evening, received a rousing send-off in Sever Hall this afternoon. Several graduates, who have spoken in former debutes against Yale and Princeton, spoke, and the debaters were enthusiastically cheered. The three men who leave to-night are F. O. White, '99, of Boston; S. R. Wrightington, '97, of Fall River, Mass., and Charles Grilk, '98, of Davenport, Iowa. The alternate is L. O. O'Brien, '97, of New-York City. The question to be dis-

'87, of New-York City. The question to be discussed is: "Resolved, That, assuming the adoption of adequate constitutional amerdments, the United States ought to adopt a system of responsible Cabinet government," Harvard having the choice of sides took to negative.

In the upholding of the affirmative Princeton will be materially aided by the coaching of Professor Woodrow Wilson, the eminent authority on constitutional questions, who has long been an advocate of the United States adopting a Cabinet system similar to that of England. Twice before Harvard has met Princeton in debate, winning on both occasions. This time the chances seem more in favor of Princeton, as her representatives have had more training and experience than those from Harvard.

A MECHANICS' ASSOCIATION ASSIGNS. Lowell, Mass., Dec. 16.-The Middlesex Mechanics sociation, established upward of half a centur, ago for the benefit of the mill workers of Lowell, is insolvent, and yesterday assignces were ap-pointed. Claims amounting to \$12,200 have been filed founders of Lowell, valued at \$15.00, and a library of many volumes, but small value. The association's building goes to the Locks and Canal Company on a mortgage which requires that it shall be put to some public use.

Deerfoot Farm Sausages, made from little pige; heir reputation has brought many cheap substitutes into

Parcheest. The best home game, at Department Stores,

MARRIED. HILL-MERRIAM—At the Unitarian Church, West Newton, Mass, on Wednesday, December 18, by the Rev, Mr. Josnes, Frederick P. Hill, of New York, to Flor-ence M. Merriam, granddaughter of Mrs. Matthews

Starbuck.

JENNINGS—EREWSTER—On December 16, 1806, at St. Bartholomew's Church, by the Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, assisted by the Rev. Chauncey Brewster, Mary Dowe Brewster, daughter of Benjamin Brewster, to Oliver Goold Jennings.

VAN BRIGEN—THURN—On Tuesday, December 15, 1906, at St. Paul's Church, Enfinio, N. Y., by the Rev. Let. Reptster, Amelia L. Thorn, daughter of Frank & Toem, to Charles Van Bergen, son of A. Van Bergen, of Paris, France.

Notices of marriages and deaths must be endorsed with full name and address.

BAILY-At Asbury Park N. J. Fanny Fully, wife of Frank L. Clark, formerly of St. Louis, Mo. Funeral services at her late residence. No. 309 3d-ave., 3 n. m. Friday, 18th last. m. Friday, 18th inst.
 COOKE-Very suideply, at Catskill, N. Y., December 14, J. Atwaier Cooke.
 Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the Peformed Dutch Church of Catskill on Thursday offermein, December 17, at 3 o'clock.

EHEMIUS—A: Lausanne, Switzeriand, December 14, Frederick E. Elislemius, in the 421 year of his age, second son of Cocile E. and the late Henry G. Eli-stemius. emios. ice of funeral hereafter.

Notice of funeral hereafter,

PERGUSON-On Monday, December 14, 1896, George
Phillips Ferguson, son of John and Janet Ferguson, in
the 53d year of his age.

Funeral Thursday, the 17th, from the residence of James
W. Mather, No. 407 West 147th-st., at 11 a. m.

PRAMBACH—At his residence, West Hobsken, N. J.,
December 15, Frederick Frantonch, sr., in his 18th year,
Paneral Friday, December 18, at 2 p. m.

HUSTES-At Flashill-on-the Hudson December 14, 1896,
Henry H. Hustis, in the 68th year of his age.

Funeral from his bac residence, Flashill-on-the-Hudson,
Friday, December 18, at 2 p. m.
Carriages will mee, train leaving New-York at 11:30 a. m.

MILLS-At Jamaica, Long Island, on Tuesday, December

MILLS—At Jamaica, Long Island, on Tuesday, December 15, 1896, Charles Mills, in the 76th year of his age. Funeral on Thursday, December 17, at 4:15 p. m. from his late residence, No. 550 Fulton-st., Jamaica, Long ment private.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

ROBERTSON—Entered into rest on Sunday, December 13, 1864, at Peekskill, N. Y., Mary Ann Canfleld, widow of James Robertson, in the Sith year of her age. Funeral services will be held at the residence of her son-in-law, William D. Sauthard, on Wednesday, December 16, 1886, at 1:30 yelook.

Carriages will meet the 11:30 troin from New-York. Interment at Sleepy Hollow, Tarrytown.

SEIFERT—On Wednesday, December 14, 1886, Albert 21, Seifert, the secretary of the Lozer Deer Brewers' Board of Trade of New-York and Vicinity and of the Brewers' Exchange, in the 49th year of his age.

Interment in Macon, Ga STONE—Suddenly, of heart failure, Tuesday evening, December 15, 1896, Andros B. Stone, Funeral at his late residence, No. 150 West 59th-st, Ca Friday, December 18, at 10 a. m.

A .- The Kensico Cemetery .- Private station, Har-lem Raitroad; 43 minutes' ride from the Grand Central Depot. Office, 16 East 42d-st.

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Postoffice Notice. reign mails for the week ending December 19 will promptly in all cases; at the General Postoffice as

TRANSATLANTIC MAILS.

*Printed matter, etc.—German steamers sailing on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays take printed matter, etc., for Germany, and specially addressed printed matter, etc., for other parts of Europe. White Star steamers on Weshesday take specially addressed printed matter, etc., for Europe. American, Cunard and French line steamers take printed matter, etc., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail.

After the closing of the supplementary Transatiantic mails named above, additional supplementary mails are opened on the piers of the American English, French and German steamers, and remain open until within ten minutes of the hour of salling of steamer.

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